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BANE'S

FIVE MEN KILLED.

Several Others Seriously Hurt in a Boiler Explosion.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 21.—Five men were killed, one was fatally injured and a number of others were seriously injured as the result of the explosion of a boiler in planing mill No. 1 at the John L. Roper lumber mills, at Gilmorton, Norfolk county. The dead are:

F. E. Ferrell, carpenter; R. B. Sorrell, planer; Ambrose Dozier, planer; a negro fireman and a negro carpenter.

Farmer Murdered and Robbed.

Popular Bluffs, Mo., Nov. 21.—J. H. Fowlkes, a Donathan farmer, was murdered and robbed of \$1,000 in an Iron Mountain box car on a siding here. His head was beaten to a pulp and the car, in which his household goods were being moved from Donathan to Newberne, Tenn., was set on fire. The crime was discovered when the fire department responded to an alarm and put out the fire in the car.

DOES NOT REMEMBER

Mrs. Bradley Cannot Recall Killing of Arthur Brown.

CRIME NOT PREMEDITATED

Defendant Declares She Did Not Go to Washington With the Intention of Killing the Former United States Senator From Utah.

Washington, Nov. 21.—That Mrs. Bradley did not come to Washington intending to kill Former Senator Arthur M. Brown of Utah and that she did not even remember shooting him, she told the jury in her trial here. The statement was not reached until the afternoon session of the court, the first half of the day being given largely to the identification of letters from Mr. Brown to Mrs. Bradley and from her to him, very few of which were read.

The real tragedy formed the subject of the afternoon sitting. At that time Judge Powers brought out the full statement in his examination in chief. This consumed only a few minutes of time, and as soon as he concluded, District Attorney Baker entered upon his cross-examination. He devoted comparatively little attention to the shooting itself, but, going back to the early days of the relationship between Senator Brown and Mrs. Bradley, sought to show by letters and by questioning the witness that she had deliberately undertaken to break up Senator Brown's home and that she was at enmity with Mrs. Brown as early as 1901. He also brought out the fact that Mrs. Bradley and Mrs. Brown had originally been strong friends and that this friendship even extended beyond the time of the birth of Mrs. Bradley's first child by Brown.

Witness More Composed.

Mrs. Bradley was upon the whole more composed than formerly. There were times when she burst into tears or sank into sighs and sobs, but these were less frequent than heretofore. Her voice was, however, at all times indistinct and faltering. She left the witness stand at the end of the day in very good condition. She was dressed in the same simple black gown she wore ever since the beginning of the trial, and as before it was relieved only by a bit of white lace about the throat.

The fact that upon first going to Senator Brown's room at the Raleigh hotel Mrs. Bradley found there a letter from Mrs. Annie Adams, the actress, to the senator, was dwelt on at some length by Judge Powers, making it evident that it is his intention to attempt to show that the discovery of this letter supplied the immediate motive for the killing of Mr. Brown. That letter was read at length by Mr. Wells.

Three letters from Mrs. Bradley to Brown were introduced by Mr. Baker and read as part of the cross-examination.

Mrs. Bradley related many interviews during her visit to Brown's house, saying that he did not stay there while she was there, but that she went to his office and upbraided him as a deceiver.

"Did you at any time think of ending your life?" asked Judge Powers. The reply was in the affirmative, but most of the words were indistinct. "I was in the lowest depths of despair," she said among other things. She said she had determined to go away, and even then he dissuaded her.

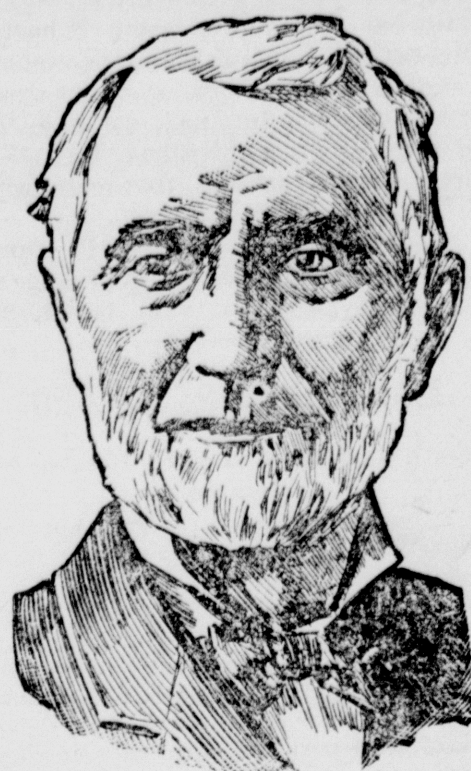
Big Verdict Against Railroad.

Des Moines, Ia., Nov. 21.—At Iowa City a jury awarded John Canfield \$49,000 against the Rock Island for being crippled in an accident on that road. This is the largest personal injury judgment ever awarded in the state.

CANNON IN GREAT DANGER

Speaker of the House in a Railroad Wreck.

Danville, Ill., Nov. 21.—Speaker Cannon was in a railroad wreck at Bismarck, Ill., a short distance from Danville. He escaped injury, although his life was in great danger. Train No. 14 on the Chicago and Eastern Illinois railroad ran into an open switch, de-



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SPEAKER CANNON.

railing two cars, in one of which Speaker Cannon was riding. The speaker's car turned squarely across the track, but did not overturn. Beyond being badly shaken up, none of the passengers or trainmen were injured.

FROM MAINE TO THE GULF

Organization Formed to Project Inland Waterways System.

Philadelphia, Nov. 21.—Representative men from fifteen of the Atlantic coast states have formed a permanent organization under the name of "The Atlantic Deep Waterways association," the object of which will be to bring about a system of waterways to permit the free movement of traffic by inland waters between the various Atlantic seaboard states from Maine to the Gulf of Mexico. This is the outcome of the two days' conference held in this city by delegates appointed by the governors or trade bodies in the states interested in the Atlantic inland waterway project. The association adopted resolutions declaring that all canals should be free, and asking congress to take up the great project, because it is demanded by the commercial interests of 30,000,000 people on the Atlantic seaboard. Congressman J. Hampton Moore of Pennsylvania was chosen president and a vice president and delegate-at-large was elected from each state. The next convention will be held in Baltimore.

Many addresses in favor of the movement and pledging support were made during the sessions. The convention came to an end with a banquet.

COOLNESS BETWEEN THEM

Roosevelt and Root Said to Be Drifting Apart.

Washington, Nov. 21.—There are evidences of a growing coolness between Secretary Root and President Roosevelt. The rumor that the secretary is to retire from the cabinet frequently crops out, and although it is frowned down by White House authority, it comes forward demanding an explanation. It does not appear to be certain that Secretary Root will retire from the cabinet before President Roosevelt's term expires, but it is certain that the secretary is not as comfortable in his relations with the administration as he was in former days. The cause of this is said to be the efforts put forth by President Roosevelt to advance the interests of Secretary Taft. This programme has set Secretary Root far in the background. He is not the kind of a man to like that sort of thing, and he is not accustomed to show a pleasure which he does not feel.

LONDON PAPERS GLOOMY.

Take Pessimistic View of Situation in the United States.

London, Nov. 21.—The London papers now take a gloomier view of the financial situation in the United States and fears are expressed that the Bank of England will raise the rate of discount to 8 per cent. The Tribune in an editorial article says:

"President Roosevelt has come to the last and most severe test of his public career. His recent speeches show that his heart is in the right place, that he knows the true center of mischief, and that he does not lack the courage to expose it. What is now wanted is prompt and determined application of positive statesmanship to the known facts of the case."

Snow in Minnesota.

Winona, Minn., Nov. 21.—Snow has begun falling here. Reports indicate that the fall has been quite heavy throughout Southern Minnesota.

WITHHOLDING OFFERS

New York Bankers Slow to Bid for Treasury Certificates.

DESIRE TO RETAIN MONEY

Want Assurance From Washington That the Funds They Subscribe for Bonds Will Be Left on Deposit in New York City Banks.

New York, Nov. 21.—The government issue of \$100,000,000 in treasury certificates of indebtedness continues to engross the attention of New York bankers, who apparently have not reached a definite decision as to the course they shall pursue. The subscriptions so far received at the local sub-treasury seem to indicate that the larger banks in this city are temporarily withholding their offers of purchases. The sub-treasury officials are not disposed to make public the amount of subscriptions received there during the past three days, saying they are merely acting as transmitting agents for the treasury department at Washington.

The fact that the banks are holding off for the time being has led to more or less definite reports that heads of the larger banking institutions are desirous of obtaining assurance from Washington that the money paid out here for the purchase of the new securities will be left on deposit in local institutions.

The currency premium varied between 2 1/4 and 2 3/4 during most of the recent negotiations, with some transactions as high as 3 per cent. With the price of currency ruling at these figures it was said the bankers could not see their way clear to purchasing the certificates of indebtedness under any other arrangement than the retention of the purchase money on deposit in this city. The money shipments from New York to the interior have been quite heavy recently, and the banks here are anxious to continue this means of assistance to the general financial situation. The advance in the price of currency is attributed to the demands from the interior for payroll purposes.

No Indication of Syndicate Bid.

There has been no indication of a syndicate bid for the treasury certificates forthcoming from associated banks in this city, such as has been intimated since Monday, unless it be in the fact that several large loans were called in. If there should be a joint subscription amounting to \$25,000,000 or more it undoubtedly would be forwarded to the secretary of the treasury direct, to be considered in connection with \$50,000,000 of certificates which Mr. Cortelyou holds subject to issuance at his personal discretion.

The revival of the reports of the possibility of a favorable outcome to the negotiations for an American loan in France with the treasury certificates as a basis has strengthened the rumor of an associated bid from New York bankers, the government securities when obtained to be so arranged that they may be considered as collateral for gold loans under the rules of the bank of France. Some of the New York banks are said to be holding off in the matter of subscriptions so as to allow small investors with hoarded savings to put in their claims and thus draw into circulation the money for which the certificates were largely designed.

CONTINUE TO COME IN.

Offers for Panama Bonds and New Treasury Certificates.

Washington, Nov. 21.—Offers for the new Panama bonds and the one-year treasury certificates continue to come to the treasury, but no official announcement has been made regarding the amount.

Reports have been received by telegraph from United States assistant treasurers at New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Boston, Chicago, Cincinnati, St. Louis, New Orleans and San Francisco of the amount of the applications for certificates received at each point. The figures were said to be satisfactory to the treasury officials.

One of the questions which is causing some inquiries at the treasury department relates to the ability of the banks to withdraw circulation based upon the new securities when the need for it has passed.

As all the one-year certificates will be called for redemption at the expiration of the term fixed by law, the notes issued against them will fall entirely outside the provision fixing a limit of \$9,000,000 per month. In this respect the short term certificates will have an advantage over the Panama bonds. There is another method, however, by which the banks can gradually curtail their circulation outstanding without regard to the legal limit. This method is not entirely in their control, since it is governed by the amount of the notes of each bank



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presented to the treasury for redemption. When notes are thus redeemed they are paid by the treasury in lawful money from the current redemption fund, which each bank is required to maintain to the amount of 5 per cent of its circulation.

WALSH RAILROAD BONDS.

Evidence Regarding Their Sale Presented at Trial of Financier.

Chicago, Nov. 21.—Evidence tending to show that bonds of the Walsh railroad were sold to various purchasers at practically the figures at which they were accepted by the Chicago National bank as collateral for notes was brought out in the cross-examination of National Bank Examiner Moxey in the trial of John R. Walsh. Ten sales, aggregating \$522,000, were gone over and identified by date and amount. It was further indicated by the testimony that the memorandum notes upon which the prosecution alleges enormous sums were drawn from the banks' vaults by Walsh were paid upon maturity.

The direct examination of Mr. Moxey was finished after he had testi-

fied to entries purporting to show the withdrawal by Walsh of \$630,000 in a single day in January, 1905, and that notes bearing various signatures amounting to \$644,000 had been discounted on that day.

Mr. Moxey's testimony tended to show that during the month of January Walsh drew out of the bank \$965,000 and that a corresponding amount is involved in notes or the sale of bonds of his other enterprises. All of the memorandum notes testified to on the direct examination were gone over and the records of sales of the bonds next will be taken up.

Veteran Minnesota Editor Dead.

Winona, Minn., Nov. 21.—Daniel Sinclair, seventy-six years old, who held the distinction of being the oldest editor in Minnesota, is dead here. Mr. Sinclair served as editor of the Winona Republican, which he established in 1856, for almost half a century. In 1880 he was named as delegate-at-large to the national Republican convention at Chicago and helped to nominate James A. Garfield. He was elected as representative to the Minnesota legislature in 1903 and served as postmaster of Winona for twenty-five years.

Run Down

Your doctor says take Ayer's Sarsaparilla, then take it. If he has any sense, he will tell you to take that.

If you are all run down, easily tired, thin, pale, nervous, go to your doctor. Stop guessing, stop experimenting, go direct to your doctor. Ask his opinion of Ayer's non-alcoholic Sarsaparilla. No alcohol, no stimulation. A blood purifier, a nerve tonic, a strong alterative, an aid to digestion. Lowell, Mass. J. C. Ayer & Co.

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LOCAL NEWS NOTES

F. A. Hall, of Minneapolis, was in the city today.
Call and see the new electric flatirons at D. M. Clark & Co.'s. 40tf
W. H. Peet, of Wadena, was a Brainerd visitor yesterday.
John W. Currie, of Minneapolis, was in the city last night.
Frank Young, of Duluth, is transacting business in the city.
L. Wideman, of Pine River, was in the city on business today.
Leave your orders for storm sash with D. M. Clark & Co. 97tf
Mrs. Kruger and children, of Walker, were in the city last night.
Charles F. Gall, of Detroit, was a Brainerd visitor last night.
A. M. Opsahl returned today from a business trip to Pine River.
D. M. Clark & Co. are agents for the Stewart, Favorite and Monitor base burners. 97tf
Alonzo Everett returned today from a business trip to Brainerd.
Prof. T. B. Hartley went to Minneapolis on business this morning.
Rev. Justus Parish, of Deerwood, was a Brainerd visitor last night.
Roadmaster Harry Mills, of Bemidji, was in the city today on business.
A. J. Swanberg, of Cross Lake, transacted business in the city last night.

HOLIDAY GOODS

A display of these goods on our counters will answer for many people the question. "What shall I buy for Christmas?"

Realize that each passing day increases the likelihood that the supply of some of the most desirable items will be exhausted. Remember that to late is worse than too early—that now not only nothing is gained but much is risked by waiting.

You are invited to call and see all the new goods for Christmas.

D. A. PETERSON,

Phone Call 82

214 7th St. So.

away to attend a convention of district managers of the Northwestern Telephone Co.

Frederick Schwartz, advance agent of Adelaide Thurston, is in the city today to look after advertising that attraction and to hear the "Land of Nod" tonight.

A fine moose head came down the Minnesota & International railroad yesterday for George Hoyt. There were also parts of a carcass for Clyde Belden and Cal Raymond.

Your Face and how to care for it will be taught free of charge by the lady demonstrator at the drug store of H. P. Dunn the week of Nov. 25 to 30. 145t3

There will be a regular meeting of Brainerd Lodge, No. 615, B. P. O. E. tonight. Matters in connection with the annual memorial services will be under consideration and it is requested that all members be present.

Mrs. Ida May Paulson, vocal teacher, will be at room 4 Mahlum block every Wednesday. She earnestly requests all those who contemplate taking voice culture should apply at once. Mrs. Rose will answer all inquiries by phone. It

Ira and Verne White and Tim Amos left this afternoon for the White cottage on Gull lake, where they will remain until Thanksgiving. Ike says the boys think there is one more rabbit there and will not return till they get him.

A. J. Lucia, better known as "Frenchy, the Bootblack," is back at the barber shop under the First National bank, where he is prepared to do shining as promptly as ever. 143t6

The carrier of the Cross Lake mail lost a sack of money which he was taking up to Charles Heath, the storekeeper at Cross Lake yesterday. The money was in a canvas sack and the finder is requested to leave it at Con O'Brien's store and receive a reward. t1

According to a dispatch sent from Aitkin to the Duluth papers there is a farmers' institute being held at Deerwood today. If so there has been for some reason no advance notice to THE DISPATCH. This paper would gladly have helped advertise such a gathering had it received any notice of it.

Lady Demonstrator from Burnham Beauty Parlors, Chicago, will be at the store of H. P. Dunn the week of November 25 to 30 and will instruct you in the use of our famous toilet preparations. 145t3

Cuyler Adams, of Deerwood, came down with his friend, Judge Edson, today, returning on the afternoon train. Mr. and Mrs. Adams and son leave Sunday for a trip around the world. They will be gone several months, visiting many points of interest during the trip.

Antique Cut Glass.
Antique cut glass requires special handling if the brilliancy of the glass is to be retained, and the ordinary periodical wash in hot soapsuds—which is usually meted out to the contents of the china and glass cupboard—is not sufficient. Only tepid water should be used to clean the articles, a lather being made on a stiff brush with good soap, and this should be worked into the design so as to clear the interstices of dust, the glass being then immediately enveloped in sawdust, absorbing all the damp. Finally a cloth should be used to give a polish.

\$100 REWARD, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh, being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.
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Grain quotations furnished by the Monarch Elevator Co.

Wheat No. 1.....	\$.92
" No. 2.....	.89
" No. 3.....	.82
" No. 4.....	.74
" Rejected.....	.66
" Macaroni No. 1.....	.76
" do No. 2.....	.73
Oats.....	.50
Flax, No. 1.....	1.00
Flax, No. 2.....	.97
Flax, N. G.....	.89
Rye, No. 2.....	.64
Rye, No. 3.....	.60
Barley No. 2.....	.58
" No. 3.....	.56

Steers, live.....	2.50 to 3.00
Cows, live.....	2.00 to 2.50
Veal, dressed.....	5.00 to 7.00
Hogs, live.....	4.75 5.00
" dressed.....	6.00 to 6.50
Mutton, live.....	3.50 to 4.00
Lamb.....	4.50 to 5.00
Chickens, spring per lb.....	.07
" hens.....	.07
Hides.....	.02 to .03
Dairy butter.....	.30
Eggs.....	.30
Potatoes.....	.40 .45
Wild hay \$8.00 to \$7.00 per ton.	
Timothy and clover \$9.00 to \$10.00 per ton.	

INVITE A TEST

H. P. Dunn Asks Catarrh Sufferers to Try Hyomei on His Guarantee

H. P. Dunn invites all who suffer from any form of catarrh troubles to get a Hyomei outfit from him with his absolute guarantee that if it does not give perfect satisfaction, the money will be refunded upon request.

There is no other treatment for catarrh that in any way resembles Hyomei, none that gives such quick curative results and lasting satisfaction, no medicine that can take its place, none that can be sold on a guarantee like this, to refund the money unless it cures.

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This wonderful medicated air treatment does not drug and derange the stomach, but is breathed through a little pocket inhaler that goes with every dollar outfit.

The unusual way which H. P. Dunn sells Hyomei attests his confidence in the remedy. 146-150-152

MANY HUNTERS KILLED.

Death List in Wisconsin Breaks All Records.

Milwaukee, Nov. 21.—The hunting season in Wisconsin has proved fatal beyond all records this year, as far as hunters are concerned, though there has been a smaller slaughter of deer. The season opened on Nov. 11, but there have been thirty Nimrods killed in that time. In a few cases those who perished were crossing ice and were drowned, but in most instances they were slain by other hunters who mistook them for deer, or through carelessness in the handling of firearms. With the increasing use of high power guns, capable of killing at a mile, the death rate has gone up rapidly.

Officers Kill a Burglar.

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 21.—After a desperate fight near Hillsboro, Sheriff Bray and Deputy Sheriff M. T. Higgins shot and killed one of ten burglars and arrested the other nine men. Burglars have been terrorizing the eastern part of the county for some time.

NORTH LONG LAKE

Mr. and Mrs. John Gibb attended the funeral of Mrs. Gordon Sunday.

W. J. Smith called at Hughey's Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Thompson spent Sunday with Mrs. Thompson's parents in Daggett Brook.

The doctor was called to attend Mrs. Johnston's baby Monday.

J. C. Thompson was a business caller in Brainerd Saturday.

Morgan and Pete Matteson have been cutting wood in the neighborhood this week.

The young people of the neighborhood have been enjoying skating on the lake this week.

Cupid's arrow struck near when it claimed one of our popular young ladies Tuesday last.

Master Loyd Taylor spent Tuesday night with Lex Thompson.

Hughey's feed mill will run November 29th and 30th.

Miss Margaret Thompson is spending the week with her sister.

Ben Myer's horses that strayed away Nov. 10th were found on the morning of Nov. 13th, mired in Mr. Richard's swamp.

Some of the young folks spent Saturday evening at S. Hansen's.

Matt Thompson was helping John Cameron last week.

On account of special services in the Presbyterian church in Brainerd there will be no preaching at the school house Sunday.

COUNTRY COUSIN.

Unable to Digest THE FOOD.

The digestive system is a wonderful piece of machinery, but power is necessary to make it effective.

The power, in this case, is the nerve force and with the nerves exhausted the digestive system becomes hopelessly crippled. There is indigestion, headaches, neuralgic pains and spells of weakness, dizziness and discouragement. Strength cannot be regained from the food you eat, but you can be restored by

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This great prescription of the famous Receipt Book author, A. W. Chase, M. D. instills into the feeble worn-out nerves energy and strength, enriches the blood, invigorates the nerves which control digestive fluids, sharpens the appetite and builds up the system in Nature's way. 50 cts. a box, at all dealers or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

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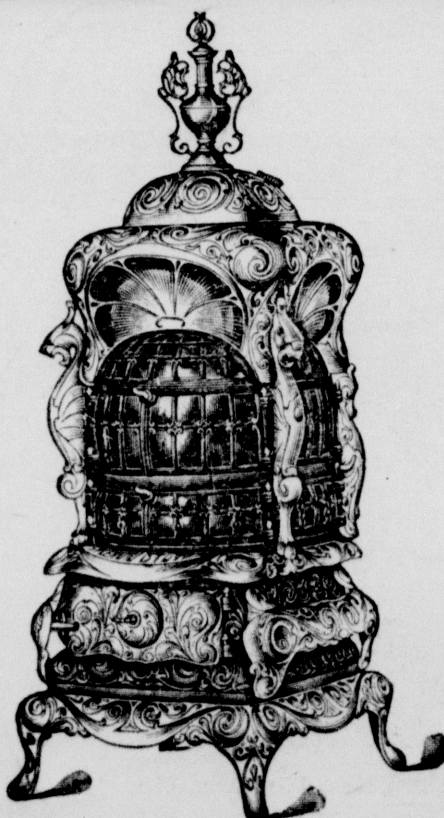
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4. Yale Laundry

Performance starts at 7:30 o'clock
sharp. Come in anytime and see
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Humorist—It is.

Editor—Well, now, isn't that interest-
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see the originator of that joke.—Somer-
ville Journal.

Bijou
F. E. LOW, MANAGER

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Thursday, Friday
Saturday

SONG--ILLUSTRATED
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 - 2 Twin Brother's Joke
- Solo by Carmen Mahlum

- 3 Late for the Wedding
- 4 Highwayman

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Mrs. Johanna Henkel Died at St.
Joseph's Hospital Last Night
From Burns

ACCIDENT WAS MONDAY NIGHT

Clothes Caught Fire From Lamp
and She Was Fatally Burned
About Her Body

Mrs. Johanna Henkel, of whose injury
mention was made in Wednesday's
daily, died at St. Joseph's hospital on
Wednesday evening. Mrs. Henkel was
burned Monday evening by the over-
turning of a lamp, but did not realize
the gravity of the injury and no doctor
was summoned until the next day. She
was then taken to St. Joseph's hospital,
but death came last night. A peculi-
arity of the case was that she suffered
comparatively little.

Her daughters, Mrs. Val Murlowski,
and Mrs. May Bourassa, of this city,
and their husbands and her son, Joe,
and little grandson were at her bedside
when the end came.

Mrs. Henkel was born in Germany
and was between 63 and 64 years of
age at the time of her death. She
came from Germany 23 years ago and
has been a resident of Brainerd ever
since. Her remains were taken to the
residence of her daughter, Mrs. Val
Murlowski, 707 South Fourth street.
The funeral will be held from St.
Francis Catholic church on Saturday
morning at 9 o'clock, with interment at
Evergreen cemetery.

Mrs. Henkel leaves four daughters
and one son to mourn her death. They
are Mrs. Val Murlowski and Mrs. May
Bourassa, of this city, Mrs. Tillie
Bochenski, Sterling City, Cal., Mrs.
Frances Mousso, of Minneapolis, and
Joseph Henkel, of this city. She also
had a large circle of friends who join
her children in sincerely mourning her
untimely death.

He Fought at Gettysburg

David Parker, of Fayette, N. Y.,
who lost a foot at Gettysburg, writes:
"Electric Bitters have done more good
than any medicine I ever took. For
several years I had stomach trouble,
and paid out much money for medicine
to little purpose, until I began taking
Electric Bitters. I would not take \$500
for what they have done for me." Grand
tonic for the aged and for female
weaknesses. Great alternative and body
builder; best of all for lame back and
weak kidneys. Guaranteed by H. P.
Dunn, druggist. 50c. t-t-s

CONFERENCE A SUCCESS

Large and Interested Crowd Attended
the First Session of Evangelistic
Conference

A large and interested audience was
on hand last evening at the English
Baptist church to listen to Dr. J. R.
Pratt, of Albany, New York, speak on
Personal Evangelism. The Reverend
Pratt proved himself to be a most in-
teresting biblical teacher and preacher.
In style of discourse and mode of de-
livery he very closely represents the
world renowned evangelist, the late
Dwight L. Moody. More than this, in
physical build he also resembles the
great evangelist.

A very luminous exposition on prayer,
based upon texts of scripture was
listened to by appreciative audiences
at both the morning and afternoon ser-
vices, which showed Dr. Pratt to be an
able exegete.

This evening the service will com-
mence at 7:30 with a song service and
a solo by one of Brainerd's sweet sing-
ers, Miss Irene Cain, being the soloist
last evening. It is expected that the
church will be crowded this evening as
it is the prayer-meeting evening, and
a large number who were detained from
the service last evening because of it
being pay day, will be on hand tonight,
and all who wish comfortable seating
are asked to come early.

The services of tomorrow will be held
at the Swedish Baptist church at 10 a.
m., 3:30 and 7:30 p. m. All are most
earnestly invited to hear Dr. Pratt.
Further notices will be given in to-
morrow's DISPATCH. t-t-s

Appendicitis

Is due in a large measure to abuse of
the bowels, by employing drastic pur-
gatives. To avoid all danger, use only
Dr. King's New Life Pills, the safe,
gentle cleansers and invigorators.
Guaranteed for headache, biliousness,
malaria and jaundice, at H. P. Dunn's
drug store. 25c. t-t-s

HAD A GOOD TIME

White Cross Lodge No. 30 K. of P.
Visited by the Grand Chancellor
Wednesday Evening

The members of White Cross Lodge
No. 30 K. of P. enjoyed a very pleas-
ant evening at their hall Wednesday
night. Frank L. Young, of Duluth,
Grand Chancellor of the order, was
present and made a fine address to the
brethren. The Pythian sisters served
a very fine banquet and the entire
affair was a very enjoyable one.

MUSIC AND DRAMA

Coming Attractions

Nov. 21.—The Land of Nod.
Nov. 23.—East Lynn.
Nov. 27.—Allan Doone.
Nov. 30.—Adelaide Thurston.
Soon—The Gingerbread Man.
Soon—Alice in Wonderland.

"The Land of Nod" Tonight

The presentation of "The Land of
Nod" which will be made at the Brainerd
opera house tonight is much grand-
er and more sumptuous than seen at its
initial offering in the middle-west. New
songs and dances and new light and
tone effects have been supplied, keep-
ing it far in lead of other things of its
kind. Managers who have the temer-
ity to invest \$100,000 in so vast a spec-
tacle cannot be blamed for locating it
in the center of millions of admirers so
it is quite reasonable to expect that the
New York time will be taken up soon
after its visit here.

COMMENCE WORK TODAY

Commission to Appraise Lands Over-
flowed by Government Dams
Commences Business

Judge Edson, of Duluth, and J. M.
Elder, of this city, went to Pequot to-
day to commence the inspection of the
lands which they were appointed to ap-
praise under condemnation proceedings
in the United States courts. Mr. Toole
will meet them at Pequot. R. Daven-
port, a government engineer, came up
from St. Paul today to accompany the
party. They will be in the vicinity of
Pequot November 21 to 23; in Cass
county the 25, 26th and 27th; at Grand
Rapids December 2nd to 5th and around
McGregor December 9th. The meet-
ings for hearing of objections and evi-
dence will be as given in a recent issue
of THE DISPATCH.

WORK GOING SLOW

Draymen Protest at Slow Progress
of Work of Planking Kindred
Street Wagon Bridge

"Say," said a well known drayman
to a DISPATCH representative, "I wish
you would jack the city up a little on
that Kindred street bridge proposition.
They have only three men at work re-
planking the bridge and meanwhile we
are compelled to go around by South-
east Brainerd or through the ravine
and run the risk of breaking our
wagons." Another gentleman stated
to THE DISPATCH this morning that the
crew had been at work three days and
had not got the work a quarter done.
It is a great hindrance to traffic and
much complaint is being made.

A Hard Debt to Pay

"I owe a debt of gratitude that can
never be paid off," writes G. S. Clark,
of Westfield, Iowa, "for my rescue
from death, by Dr. King's New Dis-
covery. Both lungs were so seriously
affected that death seemed imminent,
when I commenced taking New Dis-
covery. The ominous hacking quit be-
fore the first bottle was used, and two
more bottles made a complete cure." Nothing
has ever equalled New Dis-
covery for coughs, colds and all throat
and lung complaints. Guaranteed by
H. P. Dunn, druggist. 50c and \$1.00.
Trial bottle free. t-t-s

National Prohibition Convention.

Chicago, Nov. 21.—The national con-
vention for the selection of the presi-
dential nominee of the Prohibition
party will be held in Columbus, O.,
during the first week of June, 1908.
That fact was settled at a meeting of
members of the national committee of
the party in this city. Charles R. Jones
of Chicago was elected chairman of the
committee; W. G. Calderwood of
Minneapolis, secretary, and Felix T.
McWhirter of Indianapolis, treasurer.

Advertised Letters

The following advertised letters at
the postoffice, November 22, 1907. When
called for say "advertised."

Demring Mrs J	Maple Grove R. Tel.
Ferry Chas	Co.
Fredrickson An-	Monette Miss Grace
drew	Peterson Walter
Griggs Frank	Peters Nellie
Gerhardt Miss	Shew Jas
Minnie	Swift Erd
Herzberg L	Walch Miss Della
Jerdz Peter O	Wardrobe James
Jensen Niss Inga	Jotham Chas.
Lund Andrew P	
N. H. INGERSOLL, P. M.	

CHARITY ENTERTAINMENT

Program Will be Presented at the
First Methodist church Next
Friday Evening

An entertainment will be given for
benefit of charity at the M. E. church
Friday, Nov. 22, '07., at eight o'clock.
Admission 10 cents. The following is
the program:

Music—	Cecilian Orchestra
Recitation—	Gladys Nitteraur
Recitation—	Laurie Burrell
Violin Solo—	Rachel Whitford
Recitation—	Effie Drexler
Solo—	Mildred Farwell
Recitation—	Jessie Jones
Solo—	Dorothy Carmichael
Recitation—	Irene Brockway
Solo—	Miss Lottie White
Recitation—	Richard Ahrens
Solo—	Georgia Drexler
Recitation—	Rev. C. F. Davis
Selection—	Male Quartette
Recitation—	Mr. Nitterauer
Music—	Cecilian Orchestra

Clothcraft Facts
Nov (9)



The manufacturers of Cloth-
craft Clothes were the first ones
to make—to advertise—and to
guarantee all-wool clothes.

Doing so fully three years
before any other manufacturer
in the country.

They were ahead of the pro-
cession then—as now.

Suits - \$10 to \$25
Overcoats \$10 to \$25

J. F. Murphy & Co.

HOSPITAL ASKS FOR DONATIONS

In Accordance With Annual Cust-
om St. Joseph's Hospital Asks
Thank Offerings

CHARITY CASES CARED FOR

No Suffering Person, Even if
Penniless, is Turned From
the Hospital

The Sisters of St. Benedict, who con-
duct St. Joseph's hospital in this city,
have for some years at Thanksgiving
time asked their friends and all chari-
tably inclined to assist the hospital with
contributions. It is a well known fact
that no sick or suffering person is
turned from the doors of the hospital
because he or she has no money.
Neither do the worthy sisters make any
distinction of creed or worth in caring
for or accepting them. The result is
that they feed and care for many from
whom they never receive any pay and
in order to stand the drain of this ex-
pense they must ask assistance. Usual-
ly they have sent out circular letters
by mail, but this time they decided to
ask through the columns of THE DIS-
PATCH. They have therefore asked the
publication of the following appeal:

THANKSGIVING DAY

We appeal to the charity and gen-
erosity of the good people of Brainerd
to make "Thanksgiving" a happy day
for the poor and suffering.

Daily we are called upon to relieve
the needs and sufferings of persons en-
tirely destitute and friendless. We
have to meet a heavy interest annually
on the investment which we have made
principally for the benefit of the citi-
zens of Brainerd. Any donation, how-
ever small, of money, provisions, bed
clothing, patients' linens, fuel, etc.,
will be gratefully accepted. The kind-
ness of our friends in the past en-

courages us to again ask for aid. We
daily ask the Heavenly Father to bless
and reward our benefactors.

SISTERS OF SAINT BENEDICT OF
ST. JOSEPH'S HOSPITAL.
The cause is certainly a worthy one
and anyone contributing is certain that
good use is made of the contribution.
It is to be hoped that there will be a
ready and generous response.

Green's Livery

910 Front St. Phone 103

Will make special rates
for the next thirty
days

Tuesdays, Wednesdays,
Thursdays and Fridays

except holidays for those
who uses horses
right. Our rigs are
nearly all new so can
give you a nice outfit.

Hacks to any part of the
City day or night

W. S. GREEN

Successor to J. M. Hayes

PISO'S CURE

Save the Lungs

from the dreadful ravages
of consumption by curing
the bad cough or cold be-
fore it is too late. Piso's
Cure speedily stops coughs
and relieves throat and
lung troubles. Absolutely
free from objectionable and
harmful ingredients, and
agreeable to the taste.
All druggists, 25 cents.

FOR COUGHS AND COLDS

Actually Grew Hair on Bald Spot

Your druggist can show you the original
photographs of the case illustrated.



MR. E. BURNHAM, Chicago, Ill. Chicago, July 24, 1905.
Dear Sir—After having used your Hair Grower for about six months, I can truthfully say
it is the most wonderful hair tonic that I know of. It has stopped the falling out and the bald
spot is entirely covered with a thick, natural growth. I am more than pleased with the results.
A physician friend who examined my head said hair could not be restored on the bald spot, and
the enclosed photo shows that it can be and was restored by your hair grower. My hair measures
4 1/2 inches, and is still growing, has a rich, healthy color, and is admired by all who see it.
I am recommending your tonic to all my friends and acquaintances, and I sincerely wish you
the success you and your wonderful discovery deserve.
Yours truly,

Mrs. C. Crawford
417 Bay State Bldg.

These Wonders are Worked by

E. Burnham's Hair and Scalp Tonic

By treating thousands of heads of hair as we have done for the past 30 years in our Chicago
establishment, the largest of its kind in the world, we have been enabled to learn just how to treat
diseased hair, and to compound this wonderful hair tonic.
If your druggist does not keep E. Burnham's, send us his name and address and 10 cents
and we will send you a trial bottle free.

E. BURNHAM

The Largest Manufacturer in the World of Hair Goods and Toilet Requisites.

Wholesale
67-69 Washington St.

CHICAGO,
ILL.

For Sale by

Retail
70-72 State Street

H. P. DUNN

STONE'S MUSIC HOUSE BIG VOTING CONTEST

A MAGNIFICENT SUCCESS

CHURCHES, SCHOOLS, LODGES, INDIVIDUALS Entered Everywhere

Tremendous Interest Aroused by Great Magnitude of Prizes

Read this, it may help you win a Grand Prize

On September 1st we inaugurated the greatest voting contest ever put before the people of this or any other country. This contest will end December 31st, so that it is now one-half over and, what is more important to us, we now know that the contest is an assured, unqualified success, so that we can take a little time to do some thinking for the "other fellow." Now, let's get together and dissect this contest a little, for it may be that we, who are now devoting our time, brains and energy to this one thing, may see possibilities for the contestant that you are overlooking.

Do you realize that we are going to give away one thousand prizes, not to eight or ten or a dozen people, but one thousand individual persons? This means that until we have one thousand contestants actually running, every contestant is bound to win a prize, no matter how small the number of votes they may hold, the only condition being that the holder of these votes must be an actual contestant. One of our customers has shown his exceptional keenness in grasping this condition of the contest by dividing up the votes which he had, among his family, sending in all their names and entering each one as a separate contestant. While this is a condition that we had not exactly anticipated, we can not but admire the man's cleverness, and we hope that every member of his family will be the fortunate winner of a prize.

Have you stopped to consider what the purchase of a piano would mean? Take for example, a person buying a \$201 instrument. This would be regarded as new business and would entitle the purchaser to 1,200 votes on a dollar, a total of 241,200 votes. This certainly ought to win, if not a piano, one of the big prizes, and it would be well to bear in mind that we are giving away, not merely one, two or three pianos, but fourteen of them, so that fourteen of the contestants having the largest number of votes are bound to each win a magnificent instrument and if one will but stop and consider how much money it will take to secure a very great number of votes, they will readily see the possibility of winning one of the first fourteen prizes on the purchase of a piano.

Now, we are fully aware that comparatively few of our contestants ever dream of buying a piano, but it is more than probable that a great many of them do know of some persons contemplating purchasing a piano or other instruments, and from whom they could secure the votes that such a purchaser would be entitled to. This, of course, would help any contestant mightily. Worth thinking about, isn't it?

Don't Overlook This Important Feature

Another important feature of the contest is the votes given on each dollar paid to us. For example, on old accounts, persons paying from \$1 to \$10, would receive 100 votes per \$1, or 1,000 votes for \$10, but should this person pay us from \$11 to \$25, he would receive 200 votes per \$100. And, again, if they should pay from \$26 to \$50 they would receive 300 votes per \$1, so that the person paying us \$10 a month would, by paying a few dollars more on their account, receive double the number of votes. Again, in the sheet music department the purchasers of \$1 or over draw 200 votes per \$1. Persons, churches, schools or lodges could, by clubbing together, make up lists of pieces that they are contemplating purchasing and obtain a very large number of votes.

GRAND LIST OF PRIZES

Valued at		Valued at	
One Chickering & Sons Grand Piano.....	\$1,000	One Farrand Organ.....	\$ 150
One Everett Grand Piano.....	1,000	One Farrand Organ.....	125
One Sohmer Grand Piano.....	1,000	One Underwood Typewriter.....	105
One Behr Bros. Grand Piano.....	1,000	Ten scholarships in the Dakota Business College, each valued at \$100.....	1000
One Bush and Gerts Grand Piano.....	1,000	Five scholarships in Fargo Conservatory of music, at \$75 each.....	375
One McPhail Grand Piano.....	1,000	Three hundred and fifty violin outfits, valued at \$40 each.....	14,000
One Ernest Gabler & Bros Grand Piano.....	1,000	Three hundred Mandolin Outfits, valued at \$30 each.....	7,500
One Ferrand Cecilian Piano, self playing.....	900	Two hundred and fifty Guitar Outfits, valued \$30 each.....	7,500
One Hobart M Cable Upright Piano.....	500	Sixty-seven Individual Prizes of \$25 worth of Musical Merchandise, to be selected by winners at our store, total value.....	1,675
One Stone Piano Co Upright Piano.....	500		
One Sterling Upright Piano.....	500		
One Smith & Barnes Upright Piano.....	500		
One Laffarge Upright Piano.....	500		
One Hobart M Cable Upright Piano.....	500		
One Rockwood Regina-phone.....	200		
One Mahogany Regina-phone.....	150		

JUST A WORD OR TWO OF ADVICE

We know that several persons and schools are holding back votes with the intention of bringing them in at the last moment. This is, we believe, an extremely poor plan, as a contestant whose standing in the published list does not show any increase in votes, will soon be regarded as a "dead one" and their friends who might otherwise be glad to give them votes would feel that there was no chance of their winning and give their votes to some other "live contestant." Then, too, there is always the chance of votes being mislaid or lost. Show that you are a "live candidate" by getting your votes in early and often.

In justice to all contestants it must be distinctly understood that after a vote has once been voted, it cannot, under any circumstances, be transferred to another contestant. Positively no exceptions will be made to this rule.

In sending in votes, be careful to write clearly the name and address on all votes. This will prevent votes going to wrong contestants.

Don't hesitate to write or call on us for any information you may wish, as it is our earnest desire to assist our contestants in every legitimate way possible.

IF YOU WANT A PIANO, GET BUSY

All that it needs is a little hustle and energy and you can easily win one of the big prizes. Any church, school, lodge or person with any snap about them can have a magnificent grand piano if they really want one, but they will have to show some vim and get started early. We are ready to help our contestants in every legitimate way possible. Our contest manager is chock full of new ideas about getting votes and it may be that he will give them to you if you will ask him. Try him.

Complete list of names of contestants and their standing may be had for the asking. For these names or any other information address Contest Manager.

STONE'S MUSIC HOUSE,

FARGO, NORTH DAKOTA.

How to get Rid of Fat

A Remarkable Discovery That
Can Reduce Fat Harmlessly
at the Rate of a Pound
a Day

A Trial Box Sent Free

A quick, harmless reducer of fat, called Rengo has come into popular use which far eclipses any method or treatment heretofore used.



Rengo is perfectly harmless, pleasant to take and it is chewed like candy. It attacks abnormal tissue with unerring accuracy, and causes a gradual, harmless but effective reduction in weight, and without leaving wrinkles which are nearly always present after taking drugs and other dangerous materials commonly called "antifats."

There is nothing "just as good" as Rengo. For sale by all druggists at \$1.00 per full sized box, or by mail prepaid, by The Rengo Co., 3151 Rengo Bldg., Detroit, Mich. The company will gladly send you a trial package free by mail, if you will write them direct to Detroit; no free packages at drug stores. For sale and recommended in Brainerd by H. P. Dunn, Druggist.

GLOBE HOTEL

Bowling Alley

Just Reopened

Every Thing Put in First Class shape

Come and Enjoy Good Sport

PANIC AT A FUNERAL.

Nine Persons Injured in Struggle to Escape From Building.

York, Pa., Nov. 21.—Eli Gross of Zions View was probably fatally injured and eight other persons were hurt in a panic in Quickels church, six miles north of this city.

While the funeral of the victims of last Saturday's double murder was in progress a report gained currency that the building was falling. The church was crowded to its doors. To aggravate the rumor the heating stove was pushed and it fell over. The congregation immediately became frenzied and a struggle ensued among the people to escape from the building. Men, women and children fought to get out of the windows and doors. Those who received injuries were hurt being trampled upon or crushed in the struggle. The injuries of the victims consist principally of broken limbs and cuts and bruises.

The stampede occurred after 425 persons had passed before the casket containing the corpses of the murdered youths.

In the crush the caskets were thrown to the floor. The funeral services were postponed and the bodies were buried as soon as the injured were removed and cared for.

The Story of a Medicine.

Its name—"Golden Medical Discovery" was suggested by one of its most important and valuable ingredients—Golden Seal root.

Nearly forty years ago, Dr. Pierce discovered that he could, by the use of pure, triple-refined glycerine, aided by a certain degree of constantly maintained heat and with the aid of apparatus and appliances designed for that purpose, extract from our most valuable native medicinal roots their curative properties much better than by the use of alcohol, so generally employed. So the now world-famed "Golden Medical Discovery," for the cure of weak stomach, indigestion, or dyspepsia, torpid liver, or biliousness and kindred derangements was first made, as it ever since has been, without a particle of alcohol in its make-up.

A glance at the list of its ingredients, printed on each bottle-wrapper, will show that it is made from the most valuable medicinal roots found growing in our American forests. All these ingredients have received the strongest endorsement from the leading medical experts, teachers and writers on *Natural Medicine* who recommend them as the very best remedies for the diseases for which "Golden Medical Discovery" is advised.

A little book of these endorsements has been compiled by Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., and will be mailed free to any one asking same by postal card, or letter addressed to the Doctor as above. From these endorsements, copied from standard medical books of all the different schools of practice, it will be found that the ingredients composing the "Golden Medical Discovery" are advised not only for the cure of the above mentioned diseases, but also for the cure of all catarrhal, bronchial and throat affections, accompanied with catarrhal discharges, coarseness, sore throat, lingering, or long-on-coughs, and all those wasting affections which, if not promptly and properly treated are liable to terminate in consumption. Take Dr. Pierce's Discovery in time and persevere in its use until you give it a fair trial and it is not likely to disappoint. Too much must not be expected of it. It will not perform miracles. It will not cure consumption in its advanced stages. No medicine will. It will cure the affections that lead up to consumption, if taken in time.

CREATES A SENSATION

Samuel Gompers Declares He Was Offered a Bribe.

TO BETRAY LABOR LEADERS

Asserts Manufacturers' Association Offered Him Immunity From Exposure and Financial Reward If He Would Help to Destroy Labor's Influence.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 21.—A great sensation was created in the American Federation of Labor convention by President Gompers in his speech replying to the attacks on him and other officers of the federation by the Manufacturers' association, when he told of an alleged attempt to bribe him at the Victoria hotel, New York, in October by a young newspaper man giving him the name as Charles Brandenburg, the latter, President Gompers said, having declared that he represented the National Manufacturers' association and was prepared to offer him immunity from all exposure and make him financially secure for the remainder of his life, if he would sign a certain paper and otherwise aid in the "exposure of the other leaders in the American Federation of Labor" with the view to virtually destroying the influence of organized labor. The paper, President Gompers said, was to purport to have been signed when he (Gompers) was ill in 1895. This paper, Mr. Gompers said, he had preserved, and while death-like stillness prevailed in the convention President Gompers drew forth the original document and read it.



SAMUEL GOMPERS.

ment and read it. Mr. Gompers during his recital of the alleged attempt at bribery called upon different delegates present who were with him at times in interviews with Brandenburg to verify his statements. This the delegates, rising in their seats, did.

At the close of President Gompers' speech there was a great demonstration, even Victor L. Berger of Milwaukee, the Socialistic opponent of Mr. Gompers, declaring that although he had at convention after convention bitterly opposed the re-election of President Gompers, he will be the one this year to move to make his election unanimous, with a vote of confidence, not only to President Gompers, but also to the other officials of the American Federation of Labor.

"This," declared Mr. Berger, "is the answer of the Socialists to the Manufacturers' association."

A motion offered by F. D. W. Ryan of Springfield, Ill., reporting that the Illinois mine workers had voted confidence in Gompers and denouncing the Manufacturers' association, received immediate consideration and was adopted amid excitement.

BRANDENBURG DENIES STORY

Declares He Did Not Attempt to Bribe Gompers.

New York, Nov. 21.—Broughton Brandenburg, president of the National Institute of Immigration, and a magazine writer, said that he was the man referred to by President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor when the latter, at the convention in Norfolk, declared that one "Charles Brandenburg," a newspaper man, attempted to bribe him to take part in an exposure of other federation leaders.

In a statement, Mr. Brandenburg emphatically denied that he had attempted to bribe Gompers. He also stated that he had no connection with the National Manufacturers' association and that his dealings with Gompers were solely in the interests of a publication which he represented. He himself, he said, had been the intended victim of a plot that failed. He declared that Gompers' statement was an effort to forestall the effect of what he knew was about to be published.

Brandenburg's statement, in part, follows:

"I have been collecting for a magazine data on the conduct of the American Federation of Labor by Samuel Gompers and certain others of its principal officers since its organization. The material has gradually grown into what will be a great sensation when it is disclosed. Mr. Gompers has made an effort to forestall this. For months I and my men have been tracked by spies and Mr. Gompers felt sure that I had a sufficiency of material to make a serious case."

The statement continues to the effect that a party visited Mr. Brandenburg at the Hotel Victoria where he was stopping and attempted to buy him off. The offer he declined, he said, as he had declined similar offers.

BRAINERD OPERA HOUSE

Thursday, Nov. 21

The Rork Company's

Mammoth Extravaganza Production—

THE LAND OF NOD

80 Comedians, Singers, Dancers

An amazing equipment of scenery, costumes and electrical effects

PRICES—Parquet and Boxes \$1.50, Circle \$1.00, First Row Balcony 75c, Last Rows Balcony 50c, Gallery 25c.

Still She Wasn't Pleased.

Who should be the first to kiss a bride after her marriage? The clergyman at a certain church has solved the problem by taking this duty upon himself.

When Sarah Gringal, however, was about to be married she did not especially relish the prospect of this part of the ceremony, and she particularly asked her sweetheart when making arrangements to tell the clergyman that she didn't want him to kiss her. This the young man did, as directed.

"Well, Ernest," she said when he had returned to her side, "what did he say when you told him I didn't want him to kiss me?"

"My sweet," he replied, "fortune smiles upon us. He said that in that case he would charge only half the usual fee."

And a sudden coldness fell between them.—Pearson's.



To complete your satisfaction be sure to have us supply you with the necessary drinkables for your Thanksgiving dinner. We carry a complete stock of high grade liquors—wines, whiskies, cordials, etc., all at the lowest prices.

John Coates Liquor Co.

An Extraordinary Offer

For Sale—At half price and on easy terms the lots of the A. A. White Townsite Co., in all parts of the city. For full information call on

LYMAN P. WHITE, REAL ESTATE 419 WEST FRONT STREET

HOTEL EARL

214-216 So. 5th St.

Brainerd, - Minnesota OPEN DAY AND NIGHT

Newly Refurnished Throughout First-Class in Every Way.....

Lunch Counter in Connection

JULE JAMISON, Proprietor

Wood Sawed

Having bought a power wood saw we are prepared to fill all orders for sawing wood promptly. Give us a call.

BLAKE & LEASE Phone 56J3

WANTS

Notices under this head will be charged for at the rate of one cent a word for the first insertion and one-half a cent a word for subsequent insertions—strictly cash in advance unless advertiser has ledger account with the office, but no ad will be taken for less than ten cents.

WANTED—A ward maid for the N. P. sanitarium. 137tf

FOR RENT—Steam heated rooms furnished for light housekeeping. Inquire Pearce block. 145t3

WANTED—To do washing, cleaning or other housework by the day. Agnes Roberts, 1304 9th St.

HOUSES and rooms for rent. Houses and lots for sale on monthly payments. Hiram Gilson, Miracle block. 136t3p